



Social Security Open Government Day

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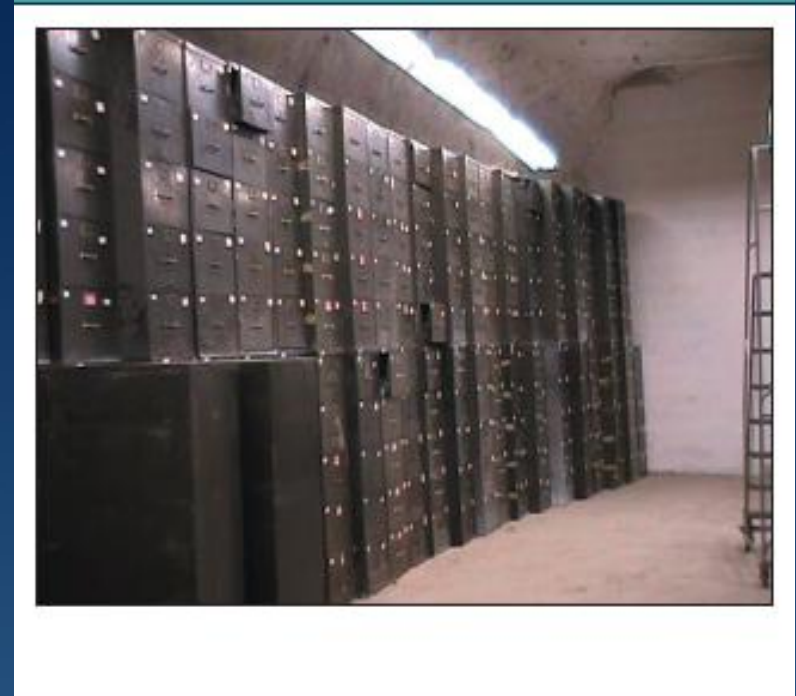
Building a Culture of Innovation in Government

Innovation Defined by Values of Openness and Collaboration

“There’s an app for that”



“There’s a form for that”



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Small Changes Enabled by Tech Have Big Impact

More informed policy and effective services without new laws or budgets

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My Case Status

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Your Current Case Status for Form N400, APPLICATION FOR NATURALIZATION

Enter your receipt number
EAC0000750590

Initial Review Request for Evidence **Testing and Interview** Decision Post-Decision Activity Document production or Oath Ceremony

3). Select an office
Boston, MA

USCIS National Average - 5.0 Month(s)

Impact: 140,000 applications enrolled in service since Sept. 2009

Text alerts sent: 124,000

Emails sent: 1M

Now 4th among best government websites

“In the next 90 days, USCIS will launch a vastly improved Web site that will, for the first time ever, allow applicants to get updates on their status of their applications via e-mail and text message and online.”

President Barack Obama,
June 25, 2009

SSA Spanish Retirement Estimator is another such app

Institutions and Networks: A New Era of Collaborative Democracy and Open Government



Crisis Camps and Crisis Commons

Platform Links “Listeners” to “Helpers” Serving Haitians in Need



From .Org to .Gov?

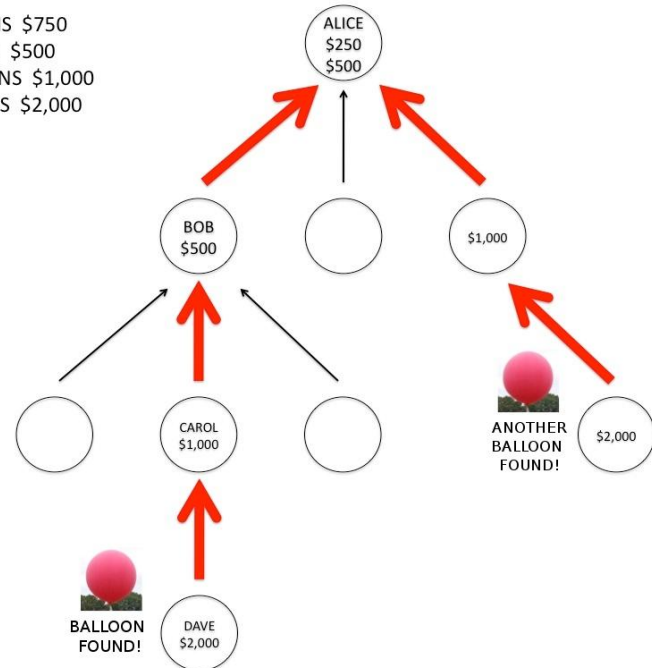
MIT Embraces Spirit of Collaboration to Answer DARPA's Call

DARPA Network Challenge



MIT Balloon Team Design

ALICE WINS \$750
BOB WINS \$500
CAROL WINS \$1,000
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— PRESIDENT OBAMA 03/21/09



Open Government

Making Government Work Better, Empowering Americans,
Strengthening Democracy



Transparency

“While the Government must be able to prevent the public disclosure of information where such disclosure would compromise the privacy of American citizens, national security, or other legitimate interests, a democratic government accountable to the people must be as transparent as possible and must not withhold information for self-serving reasons or simply to avoid embarrassment.” Presidential Memorandum on Classified Information and Controlled Unclassified Information, May 27th, 2009



Opening Doors, Opening Data

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Final Critical Habitat for the California Red-legged Frog (*Rana aurora draytonii*)



These data identify, in general, the areas where final critical habitat for California red-legged frog (*Rana aurora draytonii*) occur.

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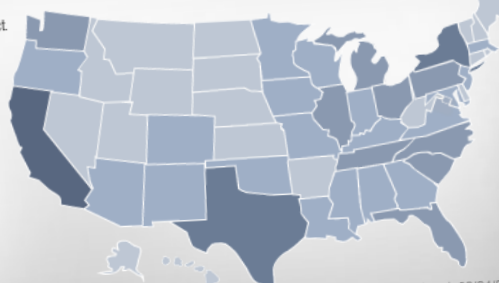
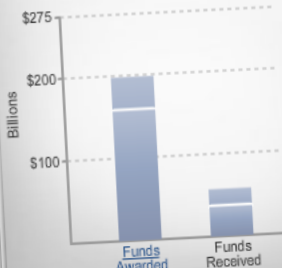
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for federal contracts, grants and loans as reported by recipients under Section 1512 of the Recovery Act
Feb 17 - Dec 31, 2009



Based on Funds Awarded
\$0 \$22 B

Roll over graph and map to see Recovery data.
Click on any state for more data.

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Territories

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OVERVIEW OF FUNDING

WHAT'S NEW

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HOUSING ASSISTANCE FOR MILITARY AND THEIR FAMILIES

Recovery Act funds are being used to help wounded service members and families of those killed avoid losses when selling their homes.

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Housing Assistance >>



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IT Dashboard Building a Culture of Accountability

Veterans Affairs Projected to Address \$300M of Waste in FY 2010

- Launched June 30, 2009 to measure performance against “on-time”, “on-budget”, and CIO evaluation
- VA Secretary orders review of all 282 IT projects, valued at ~\$800M, in February, 2010
- VA CIO stops or slows 2/3rds of all IT projects
- VA frees \$300M in FY10 to address higher priorities like reducing disability benefits backlog



IT DASHBOARD^{beta}



Sunlight + Analyze + Take Action

TECHSTAT: DELIVERING RESULTS

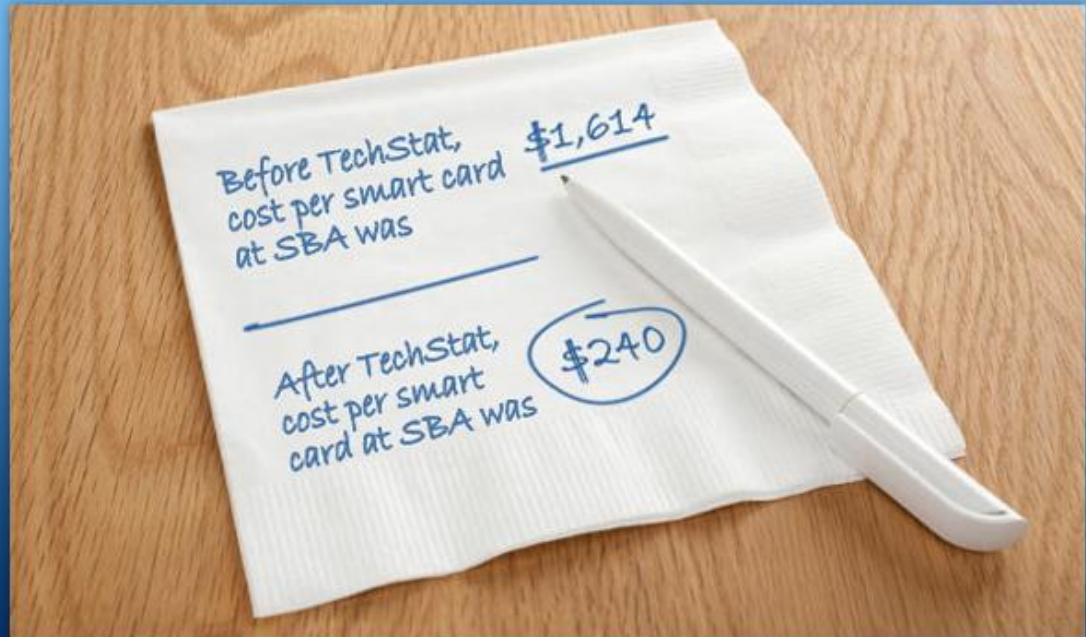


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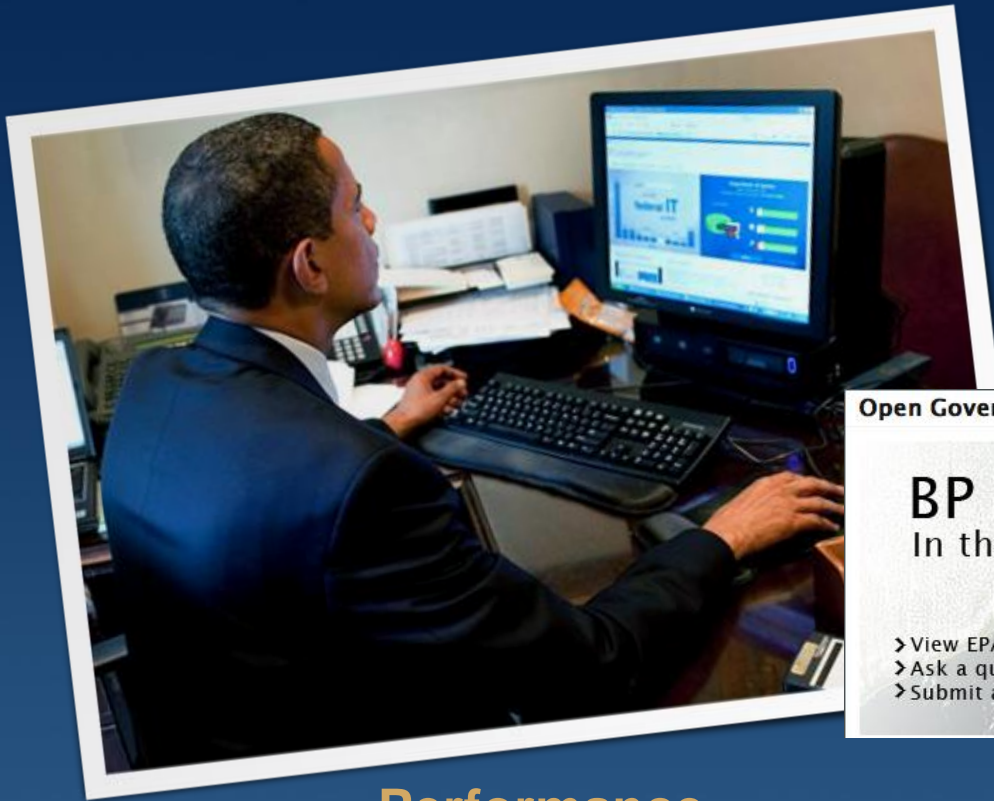
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Transparency Helps to Achieve Mission



Performance



Health

Open Government

BP OIL SPILL In the Gulf of Mexico

New Orleans



- › View EPA data
- › Ask a question or send a comment
- › Submit a technology solution



Safety




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New Pre-Existing Condition Insurance Plan

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Health Care Providers

The Affordable Care Act offers





DOL Enforcement Database

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Participation

“Our commitment to openness means more than simply informing the American people about how decisions are made. It means recognizing that government does not have all the answers and that public officials need to draw on what citizens know. And, that’s why as of today I’m directing members of my Administration to find new ways of tapping the knowledge and experience of ordinary Americans...Because the way to solve the problems of our time as one nation is by involving the American people in the policies that affect their lives.” President Obama, January 21, 2009



Participation: “Loved Data Lives Longer”

The screenshot shows the OpenEI website header with the logo "OpenEI | OPENENERGYINFO" and navigation links: "Browse", "View", "Share", "Contribute", and "Help ?". A search bar with "Go" and "Search" buttons is on the right. Below the header, there are buttons for "Page", "View source", and "History". The main content area is titled "Energy Information, Data, and other Resources" and features a grid of logos for various national laboratories: Argonne, Brookhaven, NETL, Oak Ridge, Berkeley Lab, Sandia, NREL, and Pacific Northwest. At the bottom of this grid is the "U.S. OpenLabs" logo with the tagline "Innovation for Our Energy Future" and the text "Access clean energy analysis resources from the Department of Energy network of national laboratories". To the right of the grid, there are social media links for Facebook, Twitter, YouTube, and Blogger, followed by a section titled "Information Gateways" with links for "U.S. OpenLabs", "International Clean Energy Analysis", "Clean Energy Economy", and "Smart Grid".

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Overview

Open Energy Information is an open, collaborative platform based on the same MediaWiki software that drives the world's largest online reference, Wikipedia.

Open Policymaking



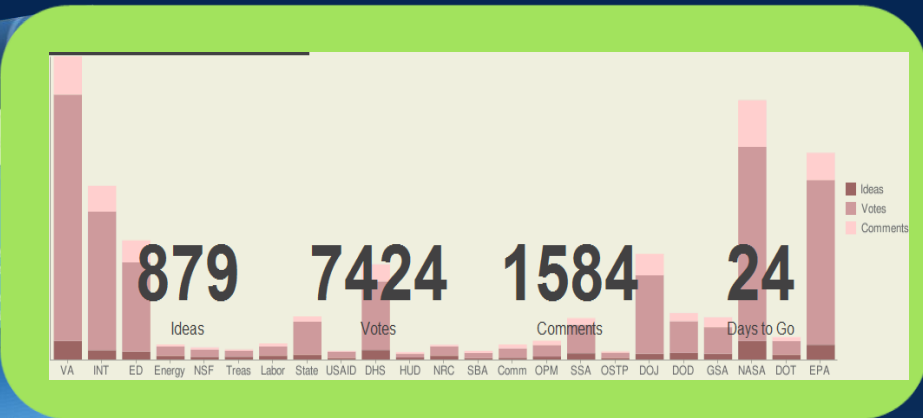
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OPEN GOVERNMENT AT COMMERCE
President's Obama's first executive action was to sign the Memorandum on Transparency and Open Government, which sought to bridge the gap between the American people and their government.



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Open Government Initiative

Transparency • Participation • Collaboration

At the Department of Transportation we are working hard to become more participatory, collaborative and transparent. Soon we'll be launching a full-fledged Open Government page here. Check back soon.

DOT Open Government Plan
DOT has drafted an outline for their Open Government Plan, due April 7, 2010. In the spirit of transparency we are sharing the proposed content of this plan, which goes beyond the requirements listed in the Open Government Directive. We will continue to work on this outline, once the Citizen Engagement Tool is released and beyond the requirements on this outline.

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Open Government at NASA
Transparency - Participation - Collaboration

Submit an Idea

Ideas Deadline: Mar. 19, 2010

30 Days, 15 Hours, 10 Min, 02 Sec

About Open Government

Welcome to NASA's Open Government Web page. The three principles of transparency, participation, and collaboration form the cornerstone of an open government.

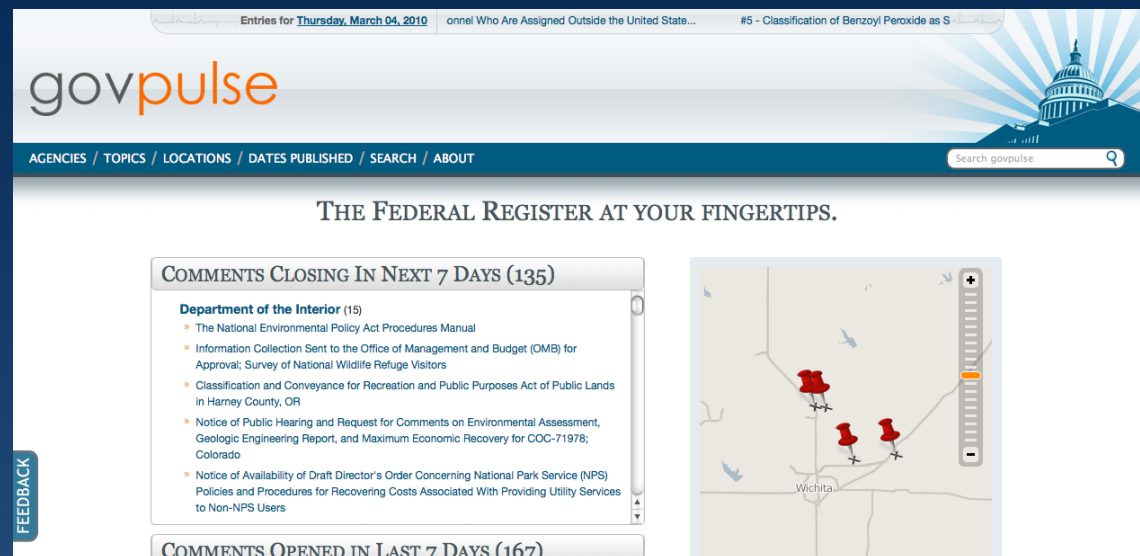
- Transparency promotes accountability by providing the public with information about what the Government is doing.
- Participation allows members of the public to contribute ideas and expertise so that their government can make policies with the benefit of information that is widely dispersed in society.

The Future of Participation


Open Policymaking
(aided by new guidance
on the Paperwork
Reduction Act and new
tools on Apps.Gov)

FACA 2.0 Connecting
Experts to
Policymakers


Fed Reg 2.0



Collaboration: Solving Problems Together in New Ways

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Congrats to Dr Clarke and his H1N1 Rap, and thanks to all who participated.
The deadline for entering this PSA contest has passed.

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Bob Flu
1,217 views
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Go Wash Your Hands!
832 views
bennycanan




I Don't Wanna Be Sick
774 views
kitkatwelch




Hi Honey
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560 views
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Cover Your Mouth



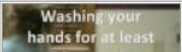
Stay Home




Washing your hands for at least 20 seconds



If you do get sick



Washing your hands for at least 20 seconds



Stay Home

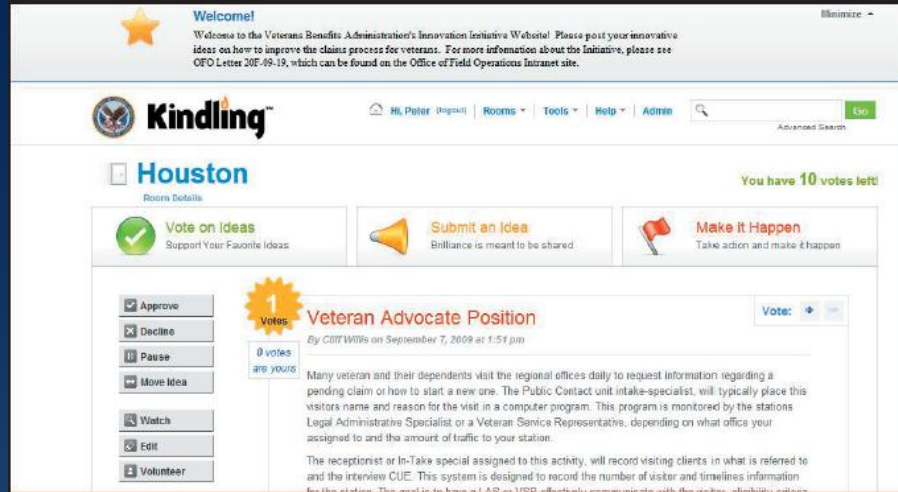


Collaboration

“I ran for President because I believe that we cannot solve the challenges of our time unless we solve them together.” President Obama, National Archives, May 21st, 2009



Collaboration Within and Across Government Unleashes Good Ideas from Govvies to Benefit Americans



The President's SAVE Award

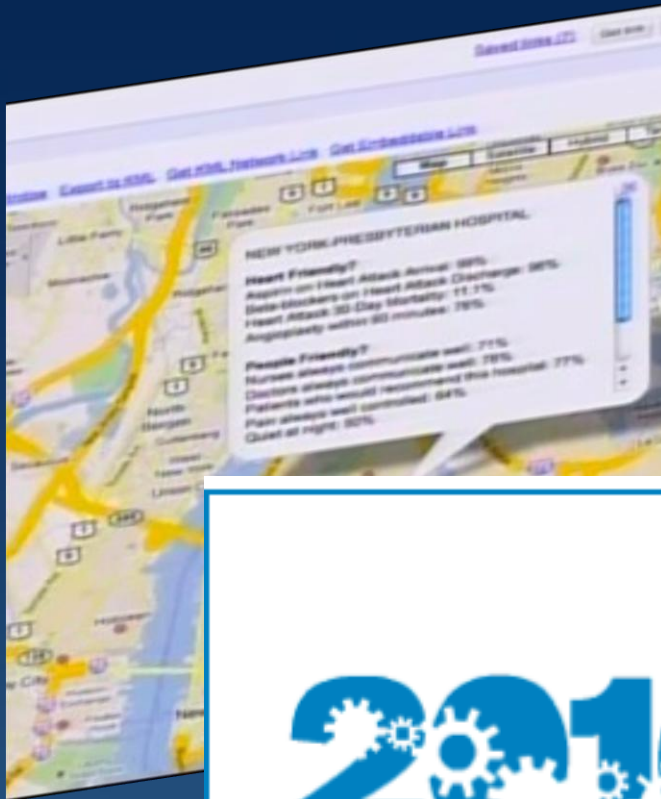
Submit an Idea | 2009 SAVE Award

In 2009, President Obama called for “a process through which every government worker can submit their ideas for how their agency can save money and perform better” – the SAVE Award was born. For the 2010 edition, the President invites Federal employees to both submit and vote on such ideas.

[Get Started](#)



Collaboration with Americans Solves Problems



2010 Health 2.0 
**DEVELOPER
CHALLENGE**



Wireless Health App Closes Information Gap

Text4baby Campaign Surpasses 40,000 Subscribers Since February

Public-Private Partnership in Brief

- Text4Baby is a *free* mobile health education service to promote maternal and child health
- 15 wireless carriers have agreed to deliver Text4baby messages to subscribers at NO CHARGE for 2 years
- Mothers who sign up will receive three free SMS text messages each week, timed to their due date or baby's date of birth

Partners Include:

National Healthy Mothers, Healthy Babies Coalition; Voxiva; CTIA Wireless Foundation; Grey Health Group; Johnson & Johnson; Wellpoint; Pfizer; CareFirst BlueCross BlueShield; GW University; MTV; General Mills; and many more

She's one smart mom

She's got **text4baby**

Text **BABY** to 511411

Get **FREE** messages on your cell phone to help you through your pregnancy and your baby's first year



text4baby

text4baby.org



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Centennial Challenges

NASA's Prize Program for the "Citizen Inventor"



NASA Innovation Pavilion



Innovation Pavilion



Welcome to the **NASA Innovation Pavilion**, which provides Solvers the opportunity to develop innovative solutions to the unique challenges faced by NASA in achieving its mission to pioneer the future of space exploration, scientific discovery, and aeronautics research. Solutions to these challenges will not only benefit space exploration, but may also further the development of commercial products and services in the fields of health and medicine, industry, consumer goods, transportation, public safety, computer technology, and environmental resources.

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